# **EXHIBIT D**

# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA (Southern Division - Santa Ana)** CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 8:22-cv-01037-MRW

Arovast Corporation et al v. Okaysou Corporation et al Assigned to: Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner

Demand: \$5,000,000

Cause: 35:271 Patent Infringement

Date Filed: 05/23/2022 Jury Demand: Both Nature of Suit: 830 Patent Jurisdiction: Federal Question

# **Plaintiff**

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# **Defendant**

Okaysou Corporation a California Corporation

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# **Defendant**

**Hao Ma** *an individual* 

represented by Michael A DiNardo

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# **Defendant**

Yan Huang

an individual

TERMINATED: 07/20/2022

<b>Date Filed</b>	#	Docket Text	
05/23/2022	1	COMPLAINT Receipt No: ACACDC-33347839 - Fee: \$402, filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2) (Attorney R. Joseph Trojan added to party Arovast Corporation(pty:pla), Attorney R. Joseph Troja added to party Etekcity Corporation(pty:pla))(Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)	
05/23/2022	2	Request for Clerk to Issue Summons on Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), 1 filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)	
05/23/2022	3	Request for Clerk to Issue Subpoena filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation., Request for Clerk to Issue Summons on Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), 1 filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)	

05/23/2022	4	Exhibit Exhibit D Page 4 of 7 Request for Clerk to Issue Summons on Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), 1 file by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/202			
05/23/2022	<u>5</u>	NOTICE OF CORPORATE DISCLOSURES; and NOTICE of Interested Parties filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation, identifying L&H Y Trading Inc., Arcsync Co., Ltd., and Arcsync Co., Ltd., (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)			
05/23/2022	6	CIVIL COVER SHEET filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)			
05/23/2022	7	REPORT ON THE FILING OF AN ACTION Regarding a Patent or a Trademark (Initial Notification) filed by Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 05/23/2022)			
05/24/2022	8	NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT to District Judge David O. Carter and Magistrate Judge Douglas F. McCormick. (sh) (Entered: 05/24/2022)			
05/24/2022	9	NOTICE TO PARTIES OF COURT-DIRECTED ADR PROGRAM filed. (sh) (Entered 05/24/2022)			
05/24/2022	10	Notice to Counsel Re Consent to Proceed Before a United States Magistrate Judge. (sh) (Entered: 05/24/2022)			
05/24/2022	11	21 DAY Summons Issued re Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), <u>1</u> as to Defenda Yan Huang, Hao Ma, Okaysou Corporation. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Hao Summons, # <u>2</u> Yan Summons) (sh) (Entered: 05/24/2022)			
05/25/2022	12	INITIAL STANDING ORDER FOLLOWING ASSIGNMENT OF CIVIL CASE TO JUDGE CARTER. (kdu) (Entered: 05/25/2022)			
06/06/2022	13	PROOF OF SERVICE Executed by Plaintiff Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation upon Defendant Okaysou Corporation served on 6/3/2022, answer due 6/24/2022. Servi of the Summons and Complaint were executed upon Hao Ma, Agent for Service of Proc and CEO of Okaysou Corporation in compliance with Federal Rules of Civil Procedure service on a domestic corporation, unincorporated association, or public entity. Original Summons NOT returned. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 06/06/2022)			
06/06/2022	14	PROOF OF SERVICE Executed by Plaintiff Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation, upon Defendant Hao Ma served on 5/25/2022, answer due 6/15/2022. Service of the Summons and Complaint were executed upon Hao Ma, Individual Defendant in compliance with Federal Rules of Civil Procedure by personal service. Original Summons NOT returned. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 06/06/2022)			
06/14/2022	15	STIPULATION Extending Time to Answer the complaint as to Hao Ma answer now due 7/8/2022; Okaysou Corporation answer now due 7/8/2022, re Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), 1 filed by Defendants Hao Ma; Okaysou Corporation.(Attorney Michael A DiNardo added to party Hao Ma(pty:dft), Attorney Michael A DiNardo added to party Okaysou Corporation(pty:dft))(DiNardo, Michael) (Entered: 06/14/2022)			
07/07/2022	<u>16</u>	ANSWER to Complaint (Attorney Civil Case Opening), 1 with JURY DEMAND filed by Defendants Hao Ma, Okaysou Corporation.(DiNardo, Michael) (Entered: 07/07/2022)			
07/07/2022	17	NOTICE of Interested Parties filed by Defendants Hao Ma, Okaysou Corporation, (DiNardo, Michael) (Entered: 07/07/2022)			
07/19/2022	18	ORDER SETTING SCHEDULING CONFERENCE by Judge David O. Carter. Scheduling Conference set for 8/8/2022 at 08:30 AM before Judge David O. Carter. (kdu) (Entered: 07/19/2022)			

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07/20/2022	<u>19</u>	Exhibit Exhibit D Page 5 of 7 NOTICE OF DISMISSAL filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation pursuant to FRCP 41a(1) <i>WITHOUT PREJUDICE</i> as to Yan Huang. (Trojan, R.) (Enter 07/20/2022)		
07/20/2022	20	NOTICE OF LODGING filed re Notice to Counsel Re: Consent to Proceed before a US Magistrate Judge - optional html form 10 (Attachments: # 1 Statement of Consent to Proceed Before a US Magistrate Judge)(Trojan, R.) (Entered: 07/20/2022)		
07/25/2022	21	JOINT REPORT Rule 26(f) Discovery Plan; estimated length of trial 5 days, filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 07/25/2022		
08/08/2022	22	MINUTES OF Scheduling Conference held before Judge David O. Carter. The case is called. The Court and counsel confer. The parties agree to proceed with Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. The Court grants the parties CV-11D re: Consent to Proceed before a US Magistrate Judge (Dkt. 20). Court Reporter: Court Smart. (twdb) (Entered: 08/09/2022)		
08/11/2022	23	CONSENT TO PROCEED before United States Magistrate Judge by all parties pursuant to GO 18-11 is approved by District Judge David O. Carter and Magistrate Judge Micha R. Wilner. This case is hereby reassigned to Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner for all further proceedings. Case number will now read 8:22-cv-01037 MRW. (rn) (Entered: 08/11/2022)		
08/11/2022	24	ORDER RE: CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE by Magistrate Judge Michael Wilner. To advance the litigation efficiently, the Court will hold a case management conference on August 24 at 9:30 a.m. (see document for further details) (hr) (Entered: 08/11/2022)		
08/22/2022	25	SCHEDULING NOTICE - IN CHAMBERS by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner: Camanagement conference previously scheduled for 8/24/2022 at 9:30 AM has been rescheduled for 8/31/2022 at 9:30 AM. Zoom link to be sent to parties. THERE IS NO PDF DOCUMENT ASSOCIATED WITH THIS ENTRY. (jm) TEXT ONLY ENTRY (Entered: 08/22/2022)		
08/31/2022	<u>26</u>	MINUTES OF CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE (VIDEO) held before Magistra Judge Michael R. Wilner. Case management conference held. Separate scheduling order to be issued. Court Recorder: CS 08/31/22. (hr) (Entered: 08/31/2022)		
08/31/2022	27	SCHEDULING ORDER by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. Jury Trial set for 7/24/2023 at 9:00 AM before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. Pretrial Conference se for 7/12/2023 at 9:30 AM before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. (see document for further details) (hr) (Entered: 08/31/2022)		
09/09/2022	<u>28</u>	STIPULATION for Protective Order filed by Defendants Hao Ma, Okaysou Corporation. (DiNardo, Michael) (Entered: 09/09/2022)		
09/12/2022	<u>29</u>	PROTECTIVE ORDER by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner re Stipulation for Protective Order 28. (see document for details) (hr) (Entered: 09/12/2022)		
11/23/2022	30	STIPULATION to Extend Discovery Cut-Off Date to 02/07/2023 filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation.(Trojan, R.) (Entered: 11/23/2022)		
11/28/2022	31	REVISED SCHEDULING ORDER by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. 1. The Court reviewed the stipulation to modify the discovery dates in this action. (Docket # 30.) The lawyers' request reflects their professionalism, and will be granted in its entirety. 2. Your new dates are as follows: (see document for further details). (hr) (Entered: 11/28/2022)		
12/17/2022	32	Notice of Appearance or Withdrawal of Counsel: for attorney R. Joseph Trojan counsel fo Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. Francis wong is no longer counsel o		

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01/04/2023	33	ORDER RE: DISCOVERY DISPUTE by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. 1. The Court received an e-mail from Plaintiff's lawyers regarding several pending discovery disputes. Plaintiff requested an informal discovery conference to discuss these issues. 2. We're already on calendar for a "halftime show" hearing on January 11. Rather than set a separate hearing, I suggest that we take up the discovery issues at that session. To ensure that we get through everything, the hearing time will be advanced to 9 a.m. Either side may submit a status report or update on the discovery issues by the close of business on January 10. (see document for further details) (hr) (Entered: 01/04/2023)			
01/06/2023	34	MOTION RE: INFORMAL DISCOVERY DISPUTE. Video Conference set for 1/11/2 at 9:00 AM before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. (hr) (Entered: 01/06/2023)			
01/10/2023	35	Notice of Appearance or Withdrawal of Counsel: for attorney R. Joseph Trojan counsel of Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. Adding Emi Shibata as counsel of record for Arovast Corporation and Etekcity Corporation for the reason indicated in the 123 Notice. Filed by Plaintiffs Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation and Etekcity Corporation. (Trojan, R.) (Entered: 01/10/2023)			
01/11/2023	36	MINUTES OF HALF TIME STATUS CONFERENCE held before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. Half time status conference held as stated on the record. Court Recorder: CS 01/11/23. (hr) (Entered: 01/11/2023)			
01/11/2023	37	FOR COURT USE ONLY: STATISTICAL CORRECTION settling <u>34</u> Motion Re: Informal Discovery Dispute, re: <u>36</u> MINUTES. (hr) (Entered: 01/11/2023)			
01/11/2023	38	ORDER RE: DISCOVERY CUT-OFF by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. 1. The Court conducted an extensive "halftime show" / discovery conference with the parties today. 2. As a result of our discussion, the Court EXTENDS the fact and expert discovery deadlines by eight weeks. Of most relevance, the new fact discovery cut-off date is April (see document for further details) (hr) (Entered: 01/11/2023)			
04/03/2023	39	STIPULATION to Continue Discovery cut off and other dates from 04/04/2023 to 05/19/2023 Re: Order, 38 filed by Plaintiffs Arovast Corporation, Etekcity Corporation. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order GRANTING EXTENSION OF CASE DEADLINES REQUESTED BY JOINT STIPULATION)(Trojan, R.) (Entered: 04/03/2023)			
04/04/2023	40	ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF CASE DEADLINES REQUESTED BY JOIN'S STIPULATION by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner, re Stipulation to Continue, 39. Jury Trial continued to 11/2/2023 09:00 AM before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner Pretrial Conference continued to 10/23/2023 09:30 AM before Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner. (see document for further details). (et) (Entered: 04/04/2023)			
04/17/2023	41	Notice of Bankruptcy Filing filed by Defendant Okaysou Corporation. (DiNardo, Michael (Entered: 04/17/2023)			
04/25/2023	42	ORDER RE: BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner, r. Notice of Bankruptcy Filing 41. If Plaintiff believes that it can lawfully continue to pursue this action in district court, it may present its argument by or before May 12. Otherwise, the Court will likely be obliged to stay this action pending further order of the Bankruptcy Court. (see document for further details) (hr) (Entered: 04/26/2023)			
07/06/2023	43	ORDER STAYING ACTION by Magistrate Judge Michael R. Wilner, re Order 42. IT IS ORDERED that the civil action is STAYED during the pendency of the bankruptcy proceedings. (see document for further details) Case stayed. (hr) (Entered: 07/06/2023)			

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